

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 TOKYO 05622 281211Z

50

ACTION EA-10

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SCCT-01 SY-05 AID-05 CU-04 CIAE-00

DODE-00 INR-07 NSAE-00 PA-02 USIA-15 PRS-01 SP-02 L-02

H-02 /057 W

----- 074738

R 280833Z APR 75

FM AMEMBASSY TOKYO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9755

INFO AMCONSUL FUKUOKA

UNCLAS TOKYO 5622

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ASEC, PINS, JA

SUBJECT: STATUS OF EMBASSY-CONSULATE ATTACKERS

SUMMARY: OF FIVE EXTREMIST STUDENTS INVOLVED IN NOVEMBER 14, 1974 ATTACK ON EMBASSY, ONE HAS BEEN GIVEN THREE-YEAR JAIL SENTENCE SUSPENDED FOR FIVE YEARS, AND REMAINING FOUR ARE NOW UNDERGOING TRIAL. ALL THREE INVOLVED IN NOVEMBER 22, 1974 ATTACK ON CONSULATE FUKUOKA ARE CURRENTLY UNDER TRIAL. END SUMMARY.

1. FONOFF HAS PROVIDED EMBASSY WITH MINJUSTICE MEMO OF APRIL 17, 1975 SHOWING PRESENT STATUS OF CASES AGAINST EMBASSY TOKYO AND CONSULATE FUKUOKA ATTACKERS. SUMMARY OF MEMO FOLLOWS:

2. EMBASSY TOKYO.

A. ASSAILANTS WERE (MONTH-DAY-YEAR OF BIRTH):

JUNICHI KITAMURA ([Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 28 AUG 2013]), YASUSHI SATO ([Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 28 AUG 2013]), KESAYUKI SEKIMORI ([Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 28 AUG 2013]), KIYOSHI ABIRU ([Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 28 AUG 2013]),

AND SHUICHI KITA ([Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 28 AUG 2013]).

B. GIST OF CASE: ON NOVEMBER 14, 1974, ATTACKERS THREW ABOUT TEN FIREBOMBS INTO EMBASSY GROUNDS FROM THIRTEENTH FLOOR OF HOTEL OKURA FACING EMBASSY. AT SAME TIME, OTHER ATTACKERS ARMED WITH 15 FIREBOMBS AND
UNCLASSIFIED

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 02 TOKYO 05622 281211Z

SIX PIECES OF IRON PIPE INVADED EMBASSY GROUNDS AND ATTACKED POLICE OFFICERS THERE, INFLECTING INJURY ON FOUR OFFICERS REQUIRING TREATMENT RANGING FROM THREE DAYS TO ONE WEEK. CHARGED WITH UNLAWFUL MANUFACTURE, COLLECTION, AND USE OF WEAPONS, UNLAWFUL ENTRY, OBSTRUCTION OF PERFORMANCE OF DUTY OF POLICE OFFICERS, AND ASSAULT AND BATTERY AND INFLECTING INJURY UPON THEM.

C. STATUS: ALL FIVE ARRAIGNED DECEMBER 5, 1974.

KITAZAWA, PAROLED JANUARY 30, 1975, HAS BEEN TRIED IN TOKYO DISTRICT COURT AND SENTENCE APRIL 16, 1975 TO THREE-YEAR JAIL SENTENCE WITH FIVE-YEAR STAY OF EXECUTION. REMAINING FOUR, UNDER DETENTION SINCE NOVEMBER 14, 1974, WILL COME UP FOR PUBLIC TRIAL (FIST

3. AMCONSULATE FUKUOKA.

A. ASSAILANTS WERE: YASUO MORIOKA ([Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 28 AUG 2013]), HIKARU KOISHI ([Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 28 AUG 2013]) AND TOSHIKI TOHYA ([Sensitive Information Removed Per NARA 28 AUG 2013]).

B. GIST OF CASE: ON NOVEMBER 22, 1974, ATTACKERS ARMED WITH SIX FIREBOMBS AND THREE METALLIC BASEBALL BATS INVADED US CONSULATE GROUNDS IN FUKUOKA, PHYSICALLY ATTACKED PRINCIPAL OFFICER WITH BATS, AND THREW FIREBOMBS AT AND ATTACKED POLICE OFFICERS

ON DUTY AT CONSULATE. INFLECTED INJURY ON TWO OFFICERS, REQUIRING MEDICAL TREATMENT OF FIVE DAYS AND TWO WEEKS. THREW FIREBOMBS AND DAMAGED WALL OF CONSULATE BUILDING. HAULED DOWN US FLAG FROM FLAGPOLE ON CONSULATE GROUNDS AND DESTROYED FLAG WITH FIREBOMBS. CHARGED WITH UNLAWFUL MANUFACTURE, COLLECTION, AND USE OF WEAPONS, UNLAWFUL ENTRY, ASSAULT AND BATTERY, OBSTRUCTION OF PERFORMANCE OF DUTY OF POLICE OFFICERS AND INFLECTING INJURY, ARSON IN OCCUPIED BUILDING, AND DESTRUCTION OF FOREIGN FLAG.

C. STATUS: ALL THREE, UNDER DETENTION SINCE NOVEMBER 22, 1974, HAVE BEEN ARRAIGNED DECEMBER 13, 1974 AND BROUGHT TO TRIAL IN FUKUOKA DISTRICT COURT. TWO HEARINGS HAVE BEEN COMPLETED AND ARGUMENTS ARE TO COMMENCE SHORTLY.
HODGSON

UNCLASSIFIED

NNN

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: PENAL SYSTEM, TRIALS, COURT PROCEEDINGS
Control Number: n/a
Copy: SINGLE
Draft Date: 28 APR 1975
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1975TOKYO005622
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: N/A
Errors: N/A
Film Number: D750148-0551
From: TOKYO
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1975/newtext/t1975049/aaaaaiul.tel
Line Count: 98
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE, ON MICROFILM
Office: ACTION EA
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators: n/a
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: n/a
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: ShawDG
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 09 JUL 2003
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <09 JUL 2003 by maginmm>; APPROVED <10 FEB 2004 by ShawDG>
Review Markings:

Margaret P. Grafeld
Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
05 JUL 2006

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: NATIVE
Subject: STATUS OF EMBASSY-CONSULATE ATTACKERS SUMMARY: OF FIVE EXTREMIST STUDENTS INVOLVED IN
TAGS: ASEC, PINS, JA, (KITAMURA, JUNICHI), (SATO, YASUSHI), (SEKIMORI, KESAYUKI), (ABIRU, KIYOSHI), (KITA, SHUICHI)
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Margaret P. Grafeld Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 05 JUL 2006